RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 **BOX AF EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 3622**



Docket No.:

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

HIROYUKI KOSUDA, et al.

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For: **CONSUMER TRANSACTION FACILITY** Group Art Unit: 3622

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RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C / 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed November 15, 2002, having a shortened period for response set to expire on February 15, 2003. A petition and fee for a onemonth extension of time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to March 15, 2003. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND claims 1, 2, and 7-10 as follows:

1! (FOUR TIMES AMENDED) An ATM machine communicating with a host computer having a transaction information file for customers via a communication line in accordance with an operation of a customer to perform a customer's desired transaction, the ATM machine comprising:

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